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In re the Application of:		) Group Art Unit: 1642				
McKIN	NON, Randy D	Examiner: not yet assigned				
Serial N	No.: 10/051,769	)				
Filed: (	October 20, 2001	)				
For: A	AN EST-DEFINED PROBE FOR	)				
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	TRANSMITTAL (	– OF MISSING PARTS				
U.S. Patent Box Sequer Arlington,	and Trademark Office nce, P.O. Box 2327					
Dear Sir:						
I. DO	CUMENTS ENCLOSED:					
In re <b>37 C</b>	esponse to the NOTICE TO FILE MICFR § 1.53(f), which was mailed by the	SSING PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER e Patent Office on <u>April 5, 2002</u> , enclosed are:				
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$\boxtimes$	Power of Attorney:  Separate or	Combined with Declaration				
$\boxtimes$		versity of Medicine & Dentistry of New Jersey				
$\boxtimes$	A copy of the Notice to File Missing	g Parts of Application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b)				
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	CERTIFICATE (37 C.F.F.	OF MAILING R. §1.8a)				
	that this paper (along with any referred to as lostal Service on the date shown below with sulphox 2327 Arlington, VA 22202.	peing attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the fficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope				
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- Submission of Sequence Listing with sequence listing in paper and computerreadable forms
- Transmittal of Substitute Drawings and Substitute Drawings (2 sheets)
- Preliminary Amendment

## II. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME:

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136 apply.

Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

<b>E</b>	XTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY		FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
	one month	\$55.00		\$110.00
	two months	\$200.00		\$400.00
$\boxtimes$	three months	\$460.00		\$920.00
	four months	\$720.00		\$1,440.00
	five months	\$980.00		\$1,960.00
			Fee	\$460.00

If any extension fee is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

### III. FILING FEES

Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

BASIC FILIN	G FEE:							\$740.00
Total Claims		-	20	=	0	Х	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	6	-	3	=	3	Х	\$84.00	\$252.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if	applic	able	)			\$0.00
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Extension of Time (from above				_				\$460.00
Assignment \$40 (if applicable)				\$40.00				
TOTAL FEES	<b>SUBMIT</b>	TED	HER	EW	ITH			\$1061.00

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IV.	METHOD OF PAYMENT OF FEES:					
		A check in the amount of is enclosed to cover the above fee(s).				
	$\boxtimes$	Charge Lyon & Lyon's Deposit Account No. 12-2475 in the amount of \$1061.00.				
		The Commissioner is authorized to charge Lyon & Lyon's Deposit Account No. 12-2475 for any fees required under 37 CFR §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.445 that are not covered, in whole or in part, by a check enclosed herewith and to credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account No. 12-2475.				
		Respectfully submitted, LYON & LYON LLP				

Dated: August 20, 2002

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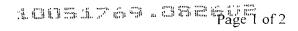
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#### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

#### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

  Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
  - Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$126.
    - \$126 for 3 independent claims over 3 ;
- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 561.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment;

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawings contain excessive text. Suitable descriptive legends may be used, or may be required by the Examiner where necessary for understanding of the drawing but should contain as few words as possible ( see 37 CFR 1.84(o));
- This application does not contain a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1 821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 10051769

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- 1.825(d). Applicant must provide such statement. If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000).
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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